

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION

C. DAVID COLLARD, M.D.,

**Plaintiff,**

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**GORDON S. CONVERSE,  
INDIVIDUALLY, D/B/A GORDON S.  
CONVERSE & COMPANY FINE  
ANTIQUES AND CLOCKS,**

**Defendant.**

**CIVIL ACTION NO. H-06-2578**

**MEMORANDUM AND ORDER**

The parties have informed the Court that they will be submitting to an independent expert the issue of the age of the clock that is the subject of this dispute (Doc. No. 31). Defendants' motion to dismiss for lack of personal jurisdiction (Doc. No. 16) will be **STAYED** pending resolution of this issue by the independent expert and until such time as the parties report back to the Court regarding progression of the case.

Defendants' related motion for leave to file a supplemental reply (Doc. No. 24) is **GRANTED**, and Plaintiff's related motion to strike the affidavit of Gordon S. Converse (Doc. No. 22) is **DENIED**.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

SIGNED this 12 day of November, 2007.

KEITH P. ELLISON  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

TO INSURE PROPER NOTICE, EACH PARTY WHO RECEIVES THIS ORDER SHALL  
FORWARD A COPY OF IT TO EVERY OTHER PARTY AND AFFECTED NON-PARTY  
EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY HAVE BEEN SENT ONE BY THE COURT